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WORKHOUSE PRISONERS
FIGHT IN A QUARRY.

WARDS ALONE PREVENT A HOMICIDE.

By Skippy Rohan's Brother, Harry, Uses a Hammer on Ernest Harris, a Negro.

Yesterday afternoon at about 5 o'clock a fierce fight in the bottom of the quarry at the Workhouse between the prisoners, each man was bent fighting the life of his adversary and it was only the timely interference of the wardens which prevented a homicide.

The principals were Harry Rohan, a brother of Skippy Rohan, who is serving a term of years, and Ernest Harris, a prisoner who was sent to the Workhouse to do a life term for fighting with a white man. The white man, though shackled, used Harris by using superior tactics. Harris received a blow on the top of his head with a stone hammer which may have caused his death.

According to the story told by the guards, one of the prisoners, who was an eye-witness to the affair, the fight originated in a quarrel between the two men. The fight which the captain of the guard called for the men. Rohan and another prisoner were standing near the fight, practically monopolizing the blaze, who was working near, came over to fire to warm his benumbed fingers. Rohan, seeing this, said, "I don't wish to warm at the same time as you, Harris." Harris replied that the fire was his property, and that if Rohan was drawing the coal, he would build a fire of his own. Rohan made reply to this last remark, but started to ground to the back of the negro, Harris thought that he could be counted on purpose and warned him to attempt, "Harris,"

was the signal for the affray to begin. The two started at each other, and the struggle did not last long when Rohan's hammer fell upon a stone hammer lying at hand. With a vigorous effort he struck Harris over the head and grabbed the hammer, which he swung with all his might. The blow at the negro's temple was true, and Harris fell ground, bleeding copiously from his forehead.

It was the surprise of all, the negro was seen to start up, and he started to rise. The hammer was dropped in the second effort, and Rohan, seeing that the negro was getting up, he went to the aid of his own, and that he was the worst of it, slipped away again, and Harris, a powerful man, was seen to rise. The rock struck the negro on the temple and inflicted a severe cut, but he did not know the light on his forehead. He crawled a few steps, and picking up a weighing several pounds, hurled it at Harris. The blow struck Harris in the head, cutting into his eyes and the other side of his head. The negro was raised up and separated the two. Rohan was put in the lock-up and Harris was taken to the hospital. Harris had lost much blood when he fell at that institution, and it was found that his skull was broken. Harris was taken to the hospital, and the doctor, Dr. Babler, senior assistant at the hospital, found Harris' wounds and pronounced them serious. Harris was taken to the hospital, and the doctor, Dr. Babler, senior assistant at the hospital, found Harris' wounds and pronounced them serious. Harris was taken to the hospital, and the doctor, Dr. Babler, senior assistant at the hospital, found Harris' wounds and pronounced them serious.

SUSPECTED OF SHOPLIFTING.
Negresses Arrested at the Grand Leader.

Two alleged shoplifters, Nannie Cunningham, 30 years old, of No. 1429 Morgan street, and Martha Carter, 40 years old, of No. 224 1/2 street, were arrested yesterday by Officer 25th of the Fourth Division at the Grand Leader Dry Goods Company, corner Broadway and Fourth avenue. The Cunningham woman was found with two silk remnants in her hands, and the Carter woman was found with a pair of gloves. The property was returned to the store, and a warrant will be applied for today, if the women are negresses.

ST. LOUIS COUNTY NOTES.

Meramec River is frozen over and skating rinks. Many lovers of this sport are enjoying the season. The river is frozen over and skating rinks. Many lovers of this sport are enjoying the season. The river is frozen over and skating rinks. Many lovers of this sport are enjoying the season.

SPECIAL WARNINGS.
New System of Weather Bulletins Arranged for Stockmen.

Fort Worth, Tex., Jan. 2.—The National Live Stock Association, with the assistance of P. H. Brandenberg, resident director of the Weather Bureau at Denver, has just secured an order from Washington, which is of considerable importance to live stock men of the West. A letter received by the secretary of the association from Mr. Brandenberg says:

"Pursuant to our understanding, I took up, in the interests of the live stock men, the matter of changing the regulations governing the issue of special warnings, and I am glad to say that Professor Will Le Moore, chief of the Weather Bureau, has issued instructions to the effect that whenever or special warnings are issued when prolonged spells of abnormally cold weather, high northerly winds with snow or heavy falls of snow are indicated for any section, and that special warnings also be issued when unreasonable or abnormally heavy rains are indicated for any section."

"Therefore, those warnings have been restricted to a few settled points in each State. It is, therefore, very gratifying to know that in the future telegrams conveying information of the above described character, will be sent to no fewer than fifty points in Colorado, and a proportionate number in Idaho in Wyoming, Montana, Idaho, Utah, North and South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas and Texas."

NEW TRIAL APPLIED FOR.
Elephant Butte Dam Case to Be Carried to the Supreme Court.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 3.—A special to the Republican from Albuquerque, N. M., says W. B. Childers, representing the Government in Elephant Butte Dam case, has applied to Judge Barker for a new trial of the case, and in case of denial will appeal to the Territorial Supreme Court.